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Sale of forest Produce in the month of April and May.

No. 4146-54 dt. 4 July 98
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Order

SECTION
FILE No. 35-91
SER'AL No. 1

The attention of Deputy Commissioners of Districts is drawn to Subject No 278 (Government Minor Forest Produce should be sold when the trees are in bearing) brought up at the meeting of the Dasana Representative Assembly held in October last, and the Deputy Commissioners are requested to submit full reports on the Subject to getter with their proposals, if any, and a Statement showing for each Minor Forest Produce, the period of the year when it is available for collection the time when in each of the past 5 years it was sold

and the account for which it was purchased at such sale. The Reports should be submitted through the Inspector General of Forests, who will send them up with his views and proposals for the realisation of the best revenue under this head.

4 July 91

Chief Secretary.

1891-92

To, The Dy Cos of Distts. & I. G. of Forests.

D/4 D. 9 July 1891.

No 4146-S4

Cir: 80.

Drawing attn of Dy Cos to subject No 278 of the Dasana Rep: and forgo (Sirsi minor forest produce should be sold when the trees are in bearing) & requiring them to submit a full report on the subject with their proposals and certain other statistics.

To

The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

Copy to Insp. Gl of Forests & Planters for info.

Enclosure No 3

Mysore District

Subject No. 278.

Government Minor Forest produce should be sold when trees are in bearing.

Summary of discussion.—Minor Forest produce is sold in April and May. It should be sold later in the year when the trees are in bearing. This would help intending purchasers to judge better what they may offer at auction. Bees' wax, honey, horns and such like may be sold in April and May as at present.

Dewan's reply.—The subject will be referred to the Forest Department for consideration.

The Rest are all Enclosures to 8 & 9

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1891-92

From The Deputy Commissioner
Kolar District.

To The Inspector General of Forests
and Plantations, in Mysore
Bangalore.

Dated 22nd September 1891.
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General No. 1791
No. 1133.

Enclosure No. 2

His docket noted in the margin.

In reply has the honor to submit herewith a memo furnishing the information called for in the Government Proceedings quoted in the above.

(Signed) C. Madiah
Deputy Commissioner
Kolar.

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B. Ramaswamy
Dy. Commissioner
Kolar.

No. 1579-85
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No. 1586-89
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No. 1590-92
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} dated 12th September 1891.

Proceedings No: 3882-90/71
dated 2nd. July 1891

Subject No: 27 (Jalari)
discussed at The Mysore Representative Assembly 1890

Memo furnishing information on the several points referred to in the marginally noted proceedings of Government.

This District is not noted for any extensive growth of Jalari trees fit for timber except in the Chickballapur Taluk and parts of the Srinivaspur Sub-Taluk nor have there been any applications from the raiyaths or others for licenses to cut the trees for timber.

2. The existing trees are generally used for lac, and may well continue to be reserved for the improvement of Revenue from lac which is at present but small. Over mature trees unfit for producing lac may be given out for timber on payment of a deigniorage fee of Rs 3 per tree.

3. The occassion for the grant of, and the necessity for thinning the trees being scarce, no reduction in the existing rate of fee for the same is called for in this District.

Subject No: 28 (Jambe)

4 If by "Jambe tree" is meant the Sibe tree (Guava) which yields an edible fruit; its growth in the District is inconsiderable and the wood thereof is not used for building purposes

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for sale. For these reasons no change in the existing practice is desirable as it is unlikely that it will prove beneficial either to Government or to the purchasers. A statement showing the Revenue realized in the District from the Forest Minor Produce during each of the past five years, the probable dates when such produce is available for collection and the dates on which sales were held during each year is hereto attached.

Signed C. Madiah
Deputy Commissioner
Kolar.

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R Ramaswamy
Asst. Deputy Commissioner
Kolar.

Statement showing the realizations from the ... Revenue ...

Serial No.	Name of Article	Period when it is available for collection	Realization 1886-1887			1887-88		
			Date of Sale	Amount Rs	a p	Date of Sale	Amount Rs	a p
1	Gallnut	Feb & March						
2	Soap nut	— do —						
3	Grapefruit (Mankipuli)	— do —						
4	Dindigadabrinke	March & April						
5	Honge seed	— do —						
6	Jackayi	October & November						
7	Antivaladaa Kayi	Feb & March						
8	Wood apple	— do —						
11	Kadee Haralu	— do —	October	1389	0 6	November	1223	9 10
12	Tamarind	— do —						
13	Ippe	May & June						
14	Burapada Hatti (Silk cotton)	March & April						
15	Kapilarungu	— do —						
16	Honey	— do —						
17	Wax	— do —						
18	Kallu Huvu	— do —						
19	Chanapappu	Feb & March						
20	Ingaladahannu	July & August						
21	Custard apple	Dec & January						
22	Lac	Feb & April						
23	Jagarasibeeja	Feb & March						
24	Kakke Kayi	— do —						

Kolar

Dated 22nd September 1896.

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...d Minor Produce in the Kolar District
...g the past 5 years.

...ations						Remarks
1888-89		1889-90		1890-91		
Date of sale	Amount Rs a p	Date of sale	Amount Rs. a p.	Date of sale	Amount Rs a p.	
...vember	1387 10 0	October	2152 13 3	October	1184 12 0	The date of sale noted is not strictly adhered to by some of the Amildars sometimes there will be a delay of a month or so in holding the sale when they are otherwise engaged.

"Signed" C. Madiah
Deputy Commissioner
Kolar.

"Copy"

[signature]

for Offg. Deputy Commissioner
Kolar

(General Serial No. 30).

1891. 92

5 Oct 1892

From The Deputy Commissioner
Tumkur District

To The Inspector General
of Forests in Mysore.

Dated Tumkur 29th September
1891.

Despatched 30th

Received 4/Oct

Enclosures No.

General No.

No. 1093

Correspondence ending
with this office Docket
No: 1033 of the 14th Sep=
=tember 1891 stating that
the report called for
in Government Proceedings
No: 4146-54/80 of 4th July
1891 about the selling of
the minor forest produce
when the trees are in
bearing would be sent
on the receipt of reports
from Amildars.

In continuation of
the above has the honor
to forward a Statement

as

as desired in the said proceedings shewing the realizations from Minor Forest Produce during the past 5 years. As the different items of this minor Forest produce are sold not separately, but together the realization from each of them cannot be given.

2. The time for harvesting the several items of this minor Forest produce is not the same but it extends over the whole of the year, as can be seen from the statement. Throughout that period it is necessary that the produce should be carefully watched from being taken away. If the sale were to be delayed till the trees are actually in bearing as proposed by the Dasara representative members Government will have to guard them and it is doubtful if this can be done efficiently. An idea of the yield can probably be formed when the trees are in blossom and this is generally the time that the sales are now held. Hence no alteration seems to be necessary in the existing practice.

K.V. Venkatasubbayya
Deputy Commissioner
Anantapur District

P.R.S.

...r for each minor Forest Produ...
the past five years it was sold...

roduce	The time when in each of the past ... amount for which it was purchased ...					
	1886-87. Vyaya.		1887-88 Sarvajithu		1888 Sarva...	
	Date of Sale	Amount of Sale	Date of Sale	Amount of Sale	Date of Sale	Amo... Sa...
Kuruv...						
ney						
Nax						
Gallnut						
Tarékayi						
Pabli Bark						
Markingnut						
Rajilarung	30th September	Rs: 171—"—"	6th September	Rs: 1888—8—"	20th October	
Mavalakayi						
Gallnut						
Tarékayi						
Goosberry						
Bikkekayi						
Beladakayi						
Koojatekayi						
Custard apple						
Markingnut	26th June	State Forest Rs: 261—"—" Other Forests Rs: 350—"—" 611	27th June	State Forest Rs: 580—"—" Other Forests Rs: 500—"—" 1080	7th July	
Dindaga Gum						
Rungamale Kayi						
...ya Kaiu...						
Mango						
Yipé						
Cocanut						
Arecanut						

June

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Chickkai challi	Sira	Gubbi	
Flare Cannanival Boxhunt Anise Byela Lallenut	Lallenut Kari Kayi Masaki Poppy Arialiya Seed	Lallenut Arialiya Kaffir Ellu Seed Ellu	
May and	15th June		
Rs: 869—5	46—8—		
May and	July 13 August		
Rs: 339—	55—8—		
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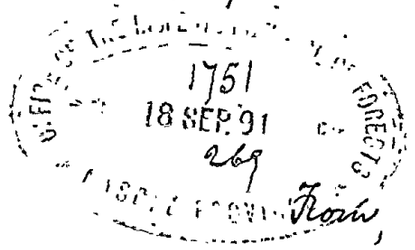

Deputy Commissioner's Office,
Mysore District
Dated Mysore 12/16 September 1891

To,
D. Nanjaeud Row Esquire
Off'g Deputy Commissioner

The Inspector General of Forests
and Plantations, in Mysore

Sir,

With reference to Government Order No. 4146-54/Cii 80 dated 4th July last, calling for a report on the subject of selling "Minor Forest Products" when trees are in bearing (Subject No 2.78 brought up at the meeting of the last Dassara Representative Assembly) I have the honor, in submitting herewith a statement shewing the periods when the several Minor Forest products are available for collection and the amount of revenue realized by the sale of the products during the past years, to state that the collection season of Deer horns, wax and honey is between April and November, and that of the other forest products between November and March. At present the sales are held in

April

April or May in each year so that the Contractor may have almost the full year at his disposal to collect the produce, the right to which he purchases. If, as requested by the members of the Representative Assembly, the date of sale were to be fixed when trees are in bearing or when the products are available for collection, more than one sale will have to be held. This arrangement will, it is feared, not only cause inconvenience to the Contractors but also to Government.

Under this arrangement different items of produce may be taken up by different persons and there may be clashing of interest between them.

The present system is working satisfactorily from a very long time, and I am of opinion that no change is necessary. I may suggest that instead of holding the sales in April or May they may be held before the beginning of the official year to which the contract relates: that is in March.

The Assistant Conservator whose opinion

opinion had been invited suggests that contracts may be given for lengthened period. I am not in favor of this system; because there is chance of loss to Government in good years, and difficulty of realizing the amount of contract in unfavorable ones. A copy of the Assistant Conservator's Memorandum on the subject is enclosed for reference.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

D. Macnabb

Off g Deputy Commissioner,

Mysore District.

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Memorandum

Subject :—

Government minor Forest Produce proposed to be sold when the trees are in bearing-vide subject no. 278 brought up at the meeting of the Dassara Representative assembly held in October last.

Period of the year when the products are available for collection

Gallnuts ripen in the months of December and January and are collected during those months as well as in March. Dindal trees exude gum, deer shed their horns between January and march. Soapnut ripens in the same period - Bees wax and honey are available during the greater portion of the year chiefly between April and November. The other minor Forest products which are given in the printed list herewith appended are available between November and march but they are collected in small quantities for want of demand: while a few of them are confined to certain special tracts. and are found only in small quantities.

The sales were held during the last 5 years between the months of April and May of every year. ~~[illegible]~~ But in the last 2 years there was some delay in sanctioning or cancelling the sales as results had to be held in some cases for want of proper bids on the first occasion.

The time of Minor Forest products sold during last 5 years

The amount realized from each item cannot be given as all the minor forest products were sold collectively by taluk, the same purchaser in a generally different people purchased the products in different taluks. A statement of revenue thus realized is given below:-

Revenue derived from each item during the 5 years.

Name of Taluk	1886-87	1887-88	1888-89	1889-90	1890-91.	Total
Hunsur	1300 " "	1950 " "	3050 " "	1805 " "	5500 " "	13605 " "
Heggadevankote	2030 " "	2162 " "	3250 " "	4685 " "	— " "	12127 " "
Gundlupet	2000 " "	1770 " "	2500 " "	2801 " "	2750 " "	11821 " "
Chamarajnuggur	1400 " "	1450 " "	1452 " "	1300 " "	1000 " "	6602 " "
Nanjangud	120 " "	169 " "	600 " "	700 " "	700 " "	2289 " "
Mysore	70 " "	134 " "	207 " "	135 " "	162 " "	708 " "
Yedatore	10 " "	" " "	" " "	2 2 "	16 " "	28 2 "
Mandya	4 4 "	" " "	10 " "	" " "	" " "	14 4 "
Malavalli	179 " "	82 " "	88 " "	41 " "	35 " "	425 " "
Attikuppa	10 " "	22 " "	129 " "	161 13	202 4	525 1 "
Seringapatam	230 13 4	369 14 8	411 10 8	464 2 8	621 5 4	2097 14 8
Nagamangala	21 2 "	43 " "	117 8 "	106 4 "	204 9 "	492 7 "
Kirnakodlu Nanjangud	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "

Opinion on the period for which Contract should be given in future.

At present minor Forest Products in each Taluk are sold annually and the period of Contract extends over one year; and this short duration hardly allows purchasers to derive much advantage. They therefore hesitate to bid properly at the annual sales. In my opinion it would be advisable to extend the term of Contract to three years in the case of every Taluk. There are many reasons for recommending extension a few of which may be explained as follows:—

(1) Jackwood trees do not bear the same quantity or quality of fruit every year; in one year they yield a luxuriant crop which in the next year is moderate, while in the third year they bear no fruit at all. This is not the case with a group of trees in any particular tract but the habit of unequal bearing differs considerably among different trees which grow on the same locality though climatic and other local conditions remain the same.

(2) The quantity and quality of fruit are greatly affected by rain fall both at the

time of flowering (April and May) & at the time of ripening (October & December) as in the case of coffee. If the crop fails in the year in which a man takes up the contract he may be ruined altogether, and this loss will act very prejudicially against future sales; but if he holds the contract for the next one or two years there is a likelihood of his making up the loss.

(3) Contractors have to give large advances to Coolies particularly to Kurumbars whom they employ for collecting the products - Unless they give such advances they cannot get their work done, but if the Coolies fail to show sufficient work during the year, the Contractor finds it extremely difficult and, in some cases quite impossible to recover his advances in the shape of work before the termination of his contract is over. Advances can never be recovered in the shape of money from Kurumbars. If the Contractor loses his contract for the succeeding year he has no work to

extract from such coolies and he often loses his advances altogether. Several instances of this kind have come to my notice. If however a contractor gets the lease for three years he can make proper arrangements for supervision and collection and will be in a position to recover his advances if not in one year at least in the next two years. If this suggestion is approved I am sure that purchasers will bid properly and fair amounts will be offered. They will have confidence in the work and will not look at it as a matter of lottery as they do at present. I very much doubt whether the suggestion made by Muddaveera Shetty of Honnur for changing the dates of sale will give satisfaction either to himself or to other contractors. But I fully believe that my proposal will be acceptable to them.

28th July 1891
Camp Hullahalli

[Signed] B. Ramaswamy
Offg Asst Conservator of Forests

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D Narasimha
Offg Deputy Commr
Mysore Dist

Statement showing the names of Minor Forest Produ
during the past five years in the Mysore District

No.	Name of Produce	Period of the year when the Produce are available for collection.	No.	Name of Taluk	Amount realized 1886-87 Sold in.	
					April	
1	Gallnuts.	December to March	1	Mysore.	70	"
2	Dindal gum	January to March.	2	Yadatore.	10	"
3	Soapnut.		3	Hunsur.	1300	"
4	Deer horns	April to November.	4	Heggaddevankote.	2030	"
5	Bees-wax		5	Gundalpett.	2000	"
6	Honey.		6	Chamaraj Nagar	1400	"
7	Sarekayi.		7	Nanjangode.	120	"
8	Seegekayi.		8	T. Narsipur.	"	"
9	Jungle soap nut.		9	Seringapatam.	230	13
10	Lac		10	Krishnarajpette.	10	"
11	Kapilarang		11	Nagamangala	21	2
12	Patanga		12	Mandya	4	4
13	Maddi.	November to March.	13	Malavalli.	179	"
14	Chillada Beja					
15	Chagate Beja.					
16	Honge seeds.					
17	Gerubija.					
18	Halumaddi.					
19	Avarike gum					
20	Guggala					
21	Wood apple &c.					
				Total	7375	3

No, The amount of Revenue realized from them &c

1887–88 sold in			1888–89 sold in			1889–90 sold in			1890–91 sold in			Remarks
April.			April.			April.			May.			
134	"	"	207	"	"	185	"	"	162	"	"	
"	"	"	"	"	"	2	2	"	16	"	"	
1950	"	"	3050	"	"	1805	"	"	5500	"	"	
						In map						
2162	"	"	3250	"	"	4685	"	"	"	†	"	†Collected under Mamul
1770	"	"	2500	"	"	2801	"	"	2750	"	"	
1450	"	"	1452	"	"	1300	"	"	1000	"	"	
169	"	"	600	"	"	700	"	"	700	"	"	Since each product
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	is not sold separately
						April						
369	14	8	444	10	8	464	2	8	621	5	4	the full amount of
22	"	"	129	"	"	161	13	"	202	4	"	sale is shewn for
43	"	"	117	8	"	106	4	"	204	9	"	each Taluk
"	"	"	10	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
82	"	"	88	"	"	41	"	"	35	"	"	
8157	14	8	11815	2	8	12,251	5	8	11,191	2	4	

for Offg Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District.

Government Proceedings No 4146-54 / cir 80 Dy Bangalore 4th / 9 July 1891

(Encls to Dy Com.r's No 822 Dt 10/8/91)

Minor Forest Produce.

Date and number of Government Proceedings	Subject No as in assembly Proceedings 2	Subject. 3	Existing orders or practice relating to the subject: 4.
Not available.	278.	Government Forest Produce being sold when the trees are in bearing.	The minor products are sold by auction in different Taluks as follows:-

Kadur Taluk. Here the produce is auctioned from July to September.

Tarikere Taluk. In this Taluk they are auctioned from June to July.

Mudgere Taluk. Here the sale takes place at the time of the Taluk Jamabandy (October or November)

Koppa.

Koppa Talak. The sale takes place here from April to end of July.

Yedahally Sub Talak

Here Gallnuts, Wax and Honey will be sold in May or June, Soap nut in october or November

Chickmaglur Talak.

Not received

(5) Detailed Report with proposals.

Kadur Amildar. It seems unnecessary to alter the present time of auction as purchasers can afford to judge the

the yeild of the product owing to the trees being in bearing at the time. In the case of Honey and Wax, the appropriate period would be April or May. Since these products are very limited they are auctioned along with other minor products, and in case these latter are separately auctioned at an earlier period, I doubt if any one would come forward to bid for the same

The following table gives the details of receipts from them for the last five years.

Years. M In Lacs

No	Details	1886/87		1887/88		1888/89		1889/90		1890/91	
		Rs	As	Rs	As	Rs	As	Rs	As	Rs	As
1	Lac.	6	"	6	"	6	"	6	"	6	"
2	Honey & wax.	6	"	2	"	3	"	2	"	2	4
3	Honey Leads.	3	8	3	8	4	"	5	"	5	"
4	Cahegacha Do.	"	6	"	8	"	4	"	10	1	4
5	Antavala Do.	1	8	1	8	2	4	2	"	3	"
6	Kapila Color.	"	"	"	"	"	4	"	8	2	"
7	Gall nut.	10	"	10	"	57	"	120	"	126	"
8	Althahalos & Hrakam hala Disti Jungle Amrai	16	"	120	"	57	"	295	"	176	"
9	Sakrapatam Ajankere Do & Amentmahal Kavals.	470	8	105	"	575	"	105	"	405	"
10	Beroo Amentmahal Kavai Jungle Amrai.	11	"	6	"	16	"	2	"	3	8
11	Zemadary.	510	"	316	"	900	"	610	"	800	"
	Total: Rs.	1034	14	570	8	1620	12	1148	2	1529	12

Tarikere Amildar.

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The following table gives the details of receipts from minor produce for the last 5 years.

Furniture

No	Details	1886/87		1887/88		1888/89		1889/90		1890/91	
1	Lac dust	300	"	175	"	220	"	135	"	276	"
2	Gum	110	"	110	"	171	"	60	"	100	"
3	Wax & Honey	40	"	40	"	4	"	67	"	26	"
4	Chiragcha Seeds	2	12	"	6	"	6	1	4	"	8
5	Antivala Do	2	"	"	4	"	4	"	8	"	8
6	Nuxe & Heya	2	4	2	4	"	"	1	"	"	8
7	Poplichekke	5	4	1	8						
8	Gall dust	260	"	200	"	284	"	326	"		
	Total	722	4	529	5	679	10	590	12	403	8

Mudgiri

Madgiri Taluk. 1/6

The following table gives the details of receipts from them for the last 5 years.

Madgiri

No	Details	1886/87		1887/88		1888/89		1889/90		1890/91	
											Y
1.	Lac.										
2.	Wax & Honey	20	6	21	9	26	13	25	7	33	12
3.	Sap. Dut.	49	15	54	14	63	"	59	6	65	8
4.	Kapila color.	1	6	2	4	4	12	1	8	"	12
5.	Gall Dut.	"	10	5	11	11	15	2	14	1	12
6.	Amrai.										
	Total.	72	5	84	6	106	8	89	3	101	12

Koppa

Koppa Taluk. The following table gives the details of receipts from them for the last 5 years.

Coffee

Sl no	Details	1886/87		1887/88		1888/89		1889/90		1890/91	
1	Loaf sent	78	14	235	.	236	8	66	.	259	.
2	Kan List	204	.	199	.	198	.	199	.	198	.
3	Honeydew	18	.	26	.	25	.	27	.	26	.
4	Gale sent	.	.	.	6	.	6	.	6	.	.
5	Jungle pepper	.	.	2	4	2	4	6	.	.	.
6	Cai	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
		300	14	462	10	460	2	298	6	483	

Yeoralley Sub Taluk.

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The following table gives the details of receipts from them for the last 5 years.

Sr	Details	1886/87		1887/88		1888/89		1889/90		1890/91	
1	Soap nut	567	14	1380	8	1374	8	52	13	1410	8
2	Kan List	18	4	18	4	18	4	18	4	18	4
3	Amra Dax	18	"	"	"	12	"	12	"	4	"
4	Gall nut	7	"	24	12	10	8	9	"	2	"
5	Jungle pepper	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
6	Lac	7	"	"	"	7	"	"	"	"	"
	Total	618	2	1423	8	1422	4	92	1	1434	12

Chickmagalur Taluk

Not received.

Assistant Conservator

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Chief Clerk James Stuart

It will be seen from the above that the mineral produce in the ~~District~~ is auctioned from April to November, or at the time when the trees are in bearing; and no objection has been taken to the procedure by the purchasers of the ~~mineral~~ produce. The same may therefore be continued in future also. The complaint is evidently not from this District. Trees yielding mineral produce generally are in bearing from June to November, and the crops are harvested from December to March. Five years receipts from the produce are dealt with

with separately above in connection with the respective Taluks.

Gall nuts in the whole District has of late been brought under Amani cultivation.

Bees wax, Honey, horns are generally collected from April to June or before the setting in of monsoon.

The products if auctioned in April and May, may result in higher realizations.

But this is not the case at present

Yours obedient servant
Assistant Conservator
Kadur District.

Kadur District
Forest Department
Dated Chickmagalur
the 4th August 1891

(General Serial No: 30).

30 SEP 91

From 189 / 189
The Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District.

To
The Inspector General
of Forests & Plantations
in Mysore

Dated 29th September 91

Despatched

Received 30/9/91

Enclosures No. (One Statement)

General No. 199
No.

Sir,

In reply to Government proceedings No: 4146-54 in Cir 80 the matter of sale of Minor Forest produce I have the honor to forward herewith a statement shewing the particulars called for in the above.

From the statement received from the Talukes it is seen that April & May are the earliest months and July the latest, when the ~~---~~ produce has been hitherto generally sold.

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It will be advantageous to put it off to a still later period i-e to August and September which is the time of Sultanee and when there is a better chance of getting more bidders and brisker bids.

I have the honor to be
Sir
your most obedient Servant

Deputy Commissioner.

Name of Forest	Taluk	The time when in each of the last five years the minor forest produce was sold and the amount realized at each sale										Remarks. Showing the time when the minor produce is available for collection
		Time	Amount.	Time	Amount	Time	Amount	Time	Amount	Time	Amount	
						State Forests						
Ragihalli	Kanakapura	29th May 1886	30 - -	16th June 1887	30 - -	17th May 1888	28 - -	9th May 1889	22 - -	8th May 1890	13 - -	Honey and wax
Kelikal			120 - -		120 - -		210 - -		210 - -		110 - -	
Chikandasi			50 - -		30 - -		55 - -		30 - -		45 - -	and November &
Basavanhetta			80 - -		60 - -		65 - -		70 - -		40 - -	December.
Kabbal			25 - -		25 - -		28 - -		20 - -		15 - -	All the west
Muggur			- - -		10 - -		15 - -		60 - -		35 - -	January, February
Bandankusari							60 - -		72 - -		45 - -	and March.
Makali	Closepet	4th June 1886	60 - -	12th May 1887	160 - -	8th June 1888	41 8 -	24th April 1889	68 - -	19th May 1890	17 10 -	
Maamungudde			30 - -		38 - -		10 - -		10 8 -		4 8 -	As each minor pro-
Handigondi			41 8 -		57 - -		9 4 -		30 4 -		9 4 -	duce is not sold
Hultar			3 8 -		2 - -		2 4 -		2 4 -		4 - -	separately so the
Atchalu			14 - -		40 - -		6 4 -		10 12 -		4 4 -	revenue for each
Kumbalgode			41 - -		47 - -		37 - -		30 - -		27 - -	kind cannot be
Savandrug	Magadi		221 - -		180 - -		301 - -		250 - -		150 - -	shown separately
Do Doballapoor	Doddaballapur		202 - -		225 - -		250 - -		187 - -		80 - -	They are all sold
		Auction sale of Tamarind, Honge and seye produce of Closepet Taluk										together under the
Makali												head M.F. Produce
Maamungudde												
Handigondi	Closepet	December 1886 -	130 - -	December and January 1887 -	130 - -	December & January 188	130 - -	December & January 189	130 - -	December & January 190	130 - -	Except Tamarind and Seyekai of Closepet Taluq - From January to March
Hultar												
Atchalu												

Locality	Taluk	Date of sale 1886	Rs	a	p	Date of sale 1887	Rs	a	p	Date of sale 1888	Rs	a	p	Date of sale 1889	Rs	a	p	Date of sale 1890	Rs	a	p	Remarks
Mudusady	Kankanhally Taluk	29th May 1886	70	-	-	18th June 1887	72	-	-	17th May 1888	130	-	-	9th May 1889	165	-	-	8th May 1890	100	-	-	— Do —
Vooyamballi			80	-	-		60	-	-		185	-	-		210	-	-		220	-	-	
Satnoor			100	-	-		80	-	-		80	-	-		95	-	-		80	-	-	
Maralavadi			150	-	-		300	-	-		350	-	-		508	-	-		371	-	-	
Harohally			130	-	-		226	-	-		285	-	-		340	-	-		433	-	-	
Somanahally			65	-	-		65	-	-		40	-	-		30	-	-		30	-	-	
Public cattle District Forest of Harohally and Somanahally hobly.			100	-	-		100	-	-		200	-	-		190	-	-		480	-	-	
Public cattle District Forests of Maralavadi hobly			52	-	-		40	-	-		101	-	-		70	-	-		181	-	-	
Minor produce of District Forests Closepet Taluq																						
Kasba	Closepet	24th–26th May/86	1457	9	-	11th–17th May/87	1037	2	-	22nd–24th April/88	477	-	-	22nd–24th April/89	613	4	-	21st–28th April/90	382	14	-	— Do —
Kiringal																						
Makali																						
Bidadi																						
Byramangala																						
Honganoor																						
Virupakshipur																						— Do —
Minor produce of District Forests of Magadi Taluk																						
Magadi Taluk District Forests.	Magady					11th–30th July 1887	487	1	-	5th–30th May 1888	506	5	-	22nd–29th May 1889	975	3	-	28th May – June 10th/90	202	10	-	— Do —

Forest	Taluk	Date	Rs.	a.	p.	Date	Rs.	a.	p.	Date	Rs.	a.	p.	Date	Rs.	a.	p.	Date	Rs.	a.	p.	Remarks
	Minor produce of District Forest of Anekal Taluq																					
Thammanaikanahally		13-6-86	4			3-6-87	17	4		3-6-88	9	4		15-5-89	30	–		15-6-90	8			
Rajahally District Jungle	Anekal	14-6-86	9	4		12-6-87	15	4		15-6-88	10			15-6-89	6			18-6-90	7			Do
	Minor produce of District Forest of Bangalore Taluk																					
District Forest of Gonipur	Bangalore	21-8-86	86			26-6-87	163			16-7-88	400			27-7-89	200			21-8-90	286			Do
	Minor produce of District Forest of Devanhally Taluk																					
District Forest of Devanhally	Devanhally	2-8-86	20			30-10-87	21			5-12-88	40			28-10-89	51			20-10-90	24			Do
	Minor produce of District Forest of Nelamangala Taluk																					
District Forest of Nijagal hobly	Nelamangala	24-8-86	70	2		25-7-87	57	10		23-8-88	54	11		20-8-89	87	11		15-10-90	94	4		Do
	Minor produce of District Forest of Hoskota Taluq																					
Host District Forest	Hoskote																					
Total –			3013	15	–		~~4449~~ 4449	1	–		4934	8	–		5892	14	–		5196	6	–	

Bangalore
Dated 29th September 91

[signature]
Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District

(General Serial No. 30).

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From The Conservator of Forests Baroda Division

To The Inspector General of Forests & Plantations

Dated 16th September 1891

Despatched " "

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Enclosures No. 2

General No. 344 of 1891
No. 4

Submitting copy of the Sub Asstt Conservator's letter together with a statement showing particulars for each item of the Minor Forest Produce as requested in Govt Pros No 4146-54 Cir '80 of the 4th July last.—

D/Commissioner's Office
Hassan district.

No. 344
F.

dated Haisan 16th Sept. 1891.

From.

The D/Commissioner
Hassan district.

To.

The Inspector General
of forests. —

Sir,

With reference to Government Proceedings no. 4146-54 cir: 80 of the 4th July last, regarding minor forest Produce, I have the honor to forward copy of the Sub Assistant Conservator's no 293 of the 7th ultimo together with a statement shewing particulars for each item of the minor Produce for the past 5 years as requested in the above. —

2. From the Statement it would be

be seen that the dates of sales held during the past 5 years vary in different places. The majority of Amildars propose the period between July and August as the best time for the sale of all fruit-bearing trees. The month of August as proposed by the Sub-Assistant Conservator appears to be the proper time for putting up all minor Forest Produce to Public auction. —

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Asst Conservator

Hassan district

Sub assistant Conservator's Office
Hassan District. —

Rev. Forest
No. 293. Rec.

Dated Hassan 7th August 1891.

To.

The Deputy Commissioner
Hassan District.

Sir,

With reference to your no. 25-4 dated 29th ultimo regarding the sale of minor forest produce, when the trees are in bearing, I have the honor to state that the most important of these products is pallaut, and although the tree flowers in the summer, and begins to bear about June, yet the young crop suffers from the western high winds. The nuts ripen about November and the collecting season there begins. The other produce too such as soap nut, Seepekai, — Hunsé, Honge and Sarekoi are

available for collection about the same time. I would therefore beg to propose that the auction sales of crop all fruit bearing trees may be held in august, as by that time the produce would developse fairly well to enable the intending purchasers to form an opinion as to the extent of the year's harvest. I beg to submit herewith the state-ment called for, but I cannot fill in columns 3 and 4 as the information is not available in this office, the produce having been sold by auctioneers. —

I have &c

"Sd" H. Poothappa

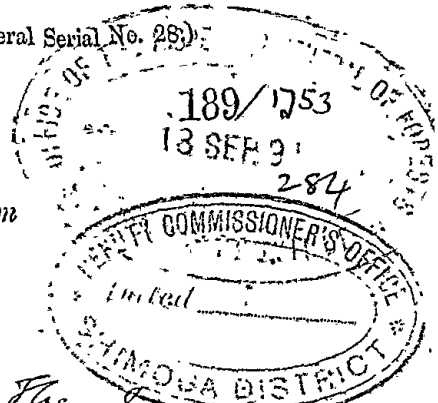
Sub asstt Conservator of Forests
Hassan district

"Copy"

Sgd Hassan

M. Offg Commissioner
Hassan district

(General Serial No. 28)



From

To The Director General of Forests & Plantations Ceylon

Dated 14th Sept.

Despatched September

Received 16/9/91

General No. 1532 **1891**
No. 546

Enclosures—Number. 2

Forwards a detailed statement of the Minor Forest Produce of the Forests sold in the Year 5 Years

Shimoga District

Deputy Comrs Office

No. 1552 en 2
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Shimoga 14th September
1891

To

The Inspector General
of Forests and Plantations
in Mysore

Sir

With reference to Your
Pro: No. 4146-54 dated 4th July
ult 60
last I have the honor to
submit copy of the Offg
Forest Superintendent's docket
No 429 of the 20th July last.

2. A detailed statement
of the Minor Forest Produce
of District Forests sold in
the past 5 years is appended.

3. The total amount of
the annual sales of the
produce in the State
Forests, is annexed at the
end of the statement, as

the particulars for each item have not been furnished by the above officer.

4. The sale of the produce long before the season and without any knowledge of the state of crop is certainly most objectionable and highly prejudicial both to the interests of Government and the purchasers.

5. The sale must take place in season a month or two before the harvest, and at least a rough estimate of the produce, village-wise, should be prepared before the sale. It is in no way necessary that the produce in each Taluk should be sold in the same month. Each Taluk may notify

its own sale with a view to the local circumstances.

6. You are doubtless aware of that the subject has already been noticed by me, and I beg to request a reference to this office communications noted in the margin.

7. Necessary orders will be issued to the Taluk and Forest officers on the subject in due course.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obed. Servt.

Abdul Rahman
Deputy Commissioner

To Office Superintendent of Forests No 845 dtd 8th May/91
Do No 599 dtd 9th Sept/91
To Inspr. Genl of Forests No 350 dtd 7th May/91
To — do — No 1536 dtd 12th Sept/91
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From

PRESIDENCY OF MADRAS

The Offg Superintendent of Forests
Shimoga District

To The Deputy Commissioner
Shimoga District

Dated 30th July 1891

No. 429

My Commrs No. 967 dated
309
13th Instant with copy of Govt.
Proceedings No. 4146-54 dated
cir. 80
4th idem drawing attention
to subject No. 276 (Govt Minor
Forest Produce should be
sold when the trees are in
leaving) brought up at the
meeting of the Nazrana
Representative assembly
held in October last
for submission of a
detailed report.

In reply has the

honor to submit that the
practice of selling such
minor produce as gall
nuts, Sikakai &c., but not
bees' wax, honey and horns,
in April and May, should
be corrected and such produce
put up to auction only
when the trees are in
bearing which is generally
towards the close of the
rains in August or September.
The collection season
does not commence till
about December so that
there is sufficient time
for the purchaser to
arrange for collection.
All further details required will
be supplied by the Assistants direct.

signed / R. C. Lowry
" Superintt of Forests
Coorg."

Abdul Rahman
Mlle. Deputy Commissioner

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Chitaldroog District
Dy Commrs Office
Dated 19th September 1891.

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MYSORE PROVINCE

The Deputy Commissioner
Chitaldroog District.

To,

The Inspector General
of Forests & Plantns
in Mysore -

Sir,

With reference to Govern-
-ment Proceedings No: 4146-54
Cir: 80
of 4th July 1891, I have the honor to state
that certain items of Forest Produce,
such as Gallnut, "Kalhoovu", Soap
nut, jali pods & cane into bearing
as Early as July, while other items
of Forest Produce, such as, lac,
Muddichakke, Gum, Byaladachak-
-ke, Sone chakke, are not produced
till February. The period of bearing
thus varies from July to February
and the collection lasts from
January to March, except with
regard to honey and Bees wax

which are collected from February to May.

2. All the items of Forest Produce are sold Talukwar in this District. In the Holalkere Taluk, however, it is sold villagewar and I can assign no reason for this Exceptional practice being in force in that Taluk.

3. In all the Taluks the sales take place from July to September simultaneously with the Hoolkaum Sales, Except in the Hiriyur Taluk where the sale of the Minor Forest Produce is held in April or May.

4. In the year 1889-90, however, the Minor Forest Produce of the Taluks of Chitaldroog, Jagalur and Hiriyur was sold for 3 years ending 31st March 1892.

5. The amount realized by the sale of the Minor Forest Produce in the several Taluks of the District for the past 5 years is shown below

below:—

Taluks.	1886-87			1887-88			1888-89			1889-90			1890-91.		
Chitaldroog	51	2	.	108	7	.	119	8	.	572	15	.	22	4	.
Challakere	576	10	.	527	15	.	671	1	.	718	2	.	995	12	.
Hiriyur	30	.	.	41	.	.	53	8	.	86	.	.	86	.	.
Holalkere	92	4	.	63	3	.	61	10	.	56	6	.	58	.	.
Davangere	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	3	12	.
Jagalur	20	.	.	21	"	.	82	"	.	103	5	4	103	5	4
Hiriyalur	488	12	.	461	8	.	499	8	.	527	12	.	674	8	.
Hosdurg Range.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	12	8	.
Total	1247	12	.	1273	1	.	1480	13	.	2065	8	4	1956	1	4

6. The Amildars in the District are unanimously of opinion that the sale of the Forest Produce should be held as heretofore at the time of the Hoolbanni sales, when there is a large gathering of ryots and when there is a good opportunity of securing more bidders than at other times. The Amildar of Chitaldroog however advocates the sale being held later on, when the trees are in full bearing

that do, in October or November.

7. To hold the sales when the different Kinds of Forest Produce are in actual bearing has indeed its own advantages, but I should very much prefer to adhere to the existing practice of holding the sales of Forest Produce at the time of the Hoolbamie sales.

8. The statement called for in Government Proceedings under reference is herewith submitted.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant

Alexander Kennedy
Deputy Commissioner
Chittagong Dists.

Copy of subject no: 278 discussed at the Representative assembly at Mpone in 1890. —

Subject no: 278.

Government Minor Forest Produce should be sold when trees are in bearing.

Summary of discussion - Minor Forest Produce is sold in April and May - It should be sold later in the year when the trees are in bearing - This would help intending purchasers to judge better what they may offer at auction - Bees' wax, honey, horns and such like may be sold in April and May as at present.

Devas's reply - The subject will be referred to the Forest Department for consider-ation -

"True Extract"

Thimmaya

(General Serial No. 30.)

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27 JUN. 92

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF FORESTS MYSORE PROVINCE

From The Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

To The Inspector General of Forests
and Plantations in Mysore.

Dated 22 } Camp Bowringpet
Despatched 25 } June 1892
Received 27/6/92

Enclosures No. 1 Manager's Gallopkie's answer

General No. 53 / 1892-93
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His docket No: 484/17 dated 13th May 1892 regarding the sale of forest minor Produce.

With preference to the above, has the honor to invite his attention to para 7 of his office memo submitted with docket No: 1791/1133 dated 22nd September 1891, an extract from the same is herewith submitted for ready preference.

Deputy Commissioner
Kolar District

Under his No 1039 - 92 dated 27/6/92 to the Inspector General of Forests & Plantations in Mysore